



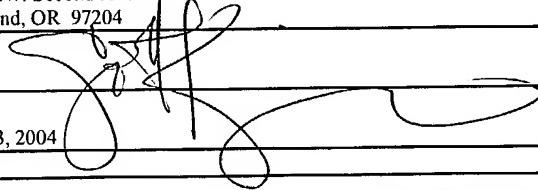
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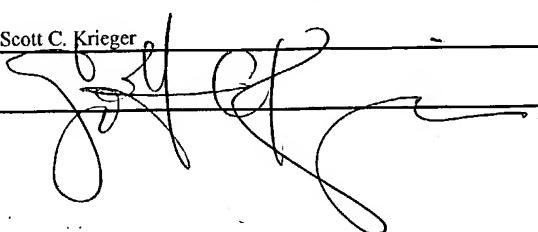
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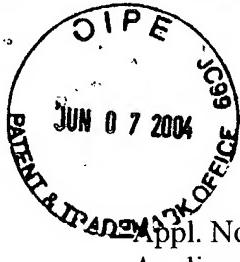
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Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are not reflected in this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** are not reflected in this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 3 of this paper.

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